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DYNAMO MAGIC.
INVENTIONS FOR THE HOME.

The proverbial "home from home" acquires a new conception from the suite of rooms which the General Electric Company have fitted up at Magnet House, their headquarters in Kingsway. By an ingenious concentration of appliances and effects a set of show-rooms has been given the semblance of a modern flat, and every up-to-date device of electricity has been displayed to advantage in its proper place. A representative of "The Daily Telegraph" was shown how far the magic force engendered by battery and dynamo has been adapted to every household use in the way of heat, lighting, and power. So far as the living rooms are concerned, the endeavour has been to heighten the scale of comfort, eliminate dirt, and promote picturesque sequences. By the use of a brightly painted landscape with artificial flowers a few foreground effects, an unsightly yard, or a dead wall outside a window can be converted into the semblance of a garden in full flower, with the effect of sunshine or moonlight at will. It space forbids even this the window can be covered with amber silk, and the room be flooded with a rich suffused light. In the dining-room a series of wall-plugs in the skirting-board converts the fireplace into a source of comfort without hand-labour, and transforms even screens and footstools into the means of warmth. It relieves the demands on the kitchen by actuating a chafing-dish or a hot-plate, a coffee-percolator or a tea-kettle, and even a cigarette-lighter after dinner for the gentleman. Here, as in the drawing room, a standard lamp can afford, by alternative switches, a localised or downward light, and an upward light reflected from the ceiling and generalised through the whole apartment. Another invention worth noting is a smoke absorber, which concentrates tobacco smoke by generating a pleasant aromatic perfume.

Beyond the familiar ventilation fan and the radiator in many forms, the kitchen and scullery benefit by cookers and stoves possessed of many powers, a variety of hot cupboards, table grills and toasters, a new type of vacuum cleaner of almost universal application, and even a "drink mixer" for reducing the cocktail prescription to a minimum of time and trouble. Bath-room fittings, from the calorifier to the gown-rail for drying, are constructed in stainless metals, so as to withstand the action of steam, and the electric shaving-cup guarantees an outfit of hot water in less than a couple of minutes. Mere description pales before the cornucopia-lined cylinder which purges 1 lb. of potatoes per minute, and 5 lbs. in the larger sizes. The main thing is that these hundred-and-one inventions are advanced as certain in their action, economical in expenditure of power, and reasonably "fool-proof" in their manipulation and control. It is very certain that the demonstration is one which will command profound attention from the public when they are admitted.

TROTSKY'S RETURN.
"REDS" AND THE PEASANTRY.

The latest advices from Soviet Russia shed some additional light upon the probable effect of M. Trotsky's return to Moscow. While it is true that he repudiates any weakening of his faith in Leninism and its economics, it would seem to be a fact that he does propose to influence the policy of the Soviets in at least one new direction. His intention is, above all things, to improve the conditions of the peasants, who, he considers, have latterly been sorely neglected in favour of the urban workers. Owing to this neglect the State was bound to suffer, especially such a country as Russia, whose staple industry has always been and remains agriculture. There is yet another reason, namely, that the peasant is the backbone of the army, and it is the army first and foremost of which the head of the Red military is for ever thinking. He means to strengthen his personal position in this way by finding new supporters in the ranks of the country against the extremists, who are chiefly drawn from the towns. It is gathered that Moscow is by no means enamoured of the quality of the results recently achieved by the Soviet Embassies, Legations, and Trade Delegations abroad. Consequently, what might be described as a kind of diplomatic check is being appointed, a young commissaire whose mission will be to pay visits of inspection to the Embassies and Legations in question, and report on their labours. In some capitals there is a good deal of uneasiness among the "Red" diplomats and agents.

HONGKONG MARKET PRODUCE.
APPROXIMATE RETAIL PRICES.

Butcher Meat.

	June 12, 1925.	June 19, 1925.	June 19, 1924.
Beef Sirloin—Ngaui Ma Pa	lb.	80	24
Prime Cut	lb.	80	24
Corned—Ham Ngaui Yuk	lb.	84	28
Roast—Shin Ngaui Yuk	lb.	80	24
Breast—Ngaui Hung	lb.	24	20
Soup—Tong Yuk	lb.	24	20
Steak—Ngaui Yuk Pa	lb.	29	24
Steak Sirloin—Ngaui Lau	lb.	38	30
Sausages—Ngaui Chong	lb.	20	20
Bullock's Brains—Ngaui No 1	per set	12	10
Tongue, fresh—Ngaui No 1	each	60	60
Tongue, corned—Ngaui No 1	each	60	60
Head—Ngaui No 1	lb.	100	100
Heart—Ngaui No 1	lb.	16	13
Hump, Salt	lb.	24	20
Foot—Ngaui No 1	each	12	10
Kidneys—Ngaui No 1	lb.	12	10
Tail—Ngaui No 1	lb.	22	20
Liver—Ngaui No 1	lb.	16	13
Tripe (undressed)—Ngaui To	lb.	6	6
Calves' Head and Feet—Ngaui-tai-tau	set	1.20	1.00
Mutton Chop—Young Fat Kwat	lb.	48	26
Leg—Young Fat Kwat	lb.	48	26
Shoulder—Young Fat Kwat	lb.	48	26
Saddle—Young Fat Kwat	lb.	48	26
Pigs' Chiddings—Chu Fat Kwat	per set	3	12
Brains—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	18	15
Feet—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	30	15
Fry—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	24	20
Heart—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	15	10
Kidneys—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	12	10
Liver—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	48	30
Pork Chop—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	38	25
Leg—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	32	28
Loins—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	18	15
Fat or Lard—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	22	21
Sheep's Head and Feet—Young Fat Kwat	set	85	60
Heart—Young Fat Kwat	each	14	8
Kidneys—Young Fat Kwat	lb.	15	12
Liver—Young Fat Kwat	lb.	48	26
Sucking Pigs, to order—Chu Fat Kwat	lb.	25	22
Suet, Beef—Shang Ngaui Yuk	lb.	26	20
Mutton—Shang Ngaui Yuk	lb.	48	26
Veal—Ngaui Tai Yuk	lb.	80	20
Sausages—Ngaui Tai Chong	lb.	26	20

Fish.

Barbel—Ka Yu	lb.	28	19	24
Bream—Pin Yu	lb.	32	20	16
Canton Fresh Water Fish—Hoi Sin Yu	lb.	28	18	16
Carp—Li Yu	lb.	40	16	27
Catfish—Chik Yu	lb.	28	12	9
Codfish—Mun Yu	lb.	26	20	25
Crabs—Hoi Yu	lb.	40	28	26
Cuttle Fish—Mak Yu	lb.	24	16	2
Dab—Sha Maung Yu	lb.	50	23	16
Dace—Wong Mai Yu	lb.	38	10	9
Dog Fish—Titi To Sha Yu	lb.	10	10	8
Eels, Conger—Hoi Man Yu	lb.	36	16	1
Fresh water—Tao Shui Yu	lb.	82	10	18
Yellow—Wong Shui Yu	lb.	40	26	30
Frogs—Tin Kai Yu	lb.	58	32	25
Garoupa—Shek Pan Yu	lb.	75	40	30
Gudgeon—Pak Kap Yu	lb.	20	18	15
Herrings—Tao Pak Yu	lb.	26	22	18
Halibut—Cheung Kwai Kap Yu	lb.	80	18	28
Labrus—Wong Fa Yu	lb.	35	22	24
Loach—Wu Yu	lb.	75	22	24
Lobsters—Lung Ha Yu	lb.	75	32	21
Mackerel—Chi Yu	lb.	30	20	26
Monk Fish—Mong Yu	lb.	40	32	28
Mullet—Tat Yu	lb.	24	18	2
Oysters—Shang Ho Yu	lb.	30	16	22
Parrot Fish—Kai Kung Yu	lb.	26	14	9
Perch—Tao Lo Yu	lb.	28	20	15
Pike—Fa Pan Fong Yu	lb.	22	18	9
Plaice—Pan Yu	lb.	40	23	14
Pomfret, Black—Hak Chong Yu	lb.	38	26	29
Pomfret, White—Pak Chong Yu	lb.	40	30	30
Prawns—Ming Yu	lb.	30	36	45
Ray—Pai Pa Sha Yu	lb.	10	10	14
Rock Fish—Shek Kau Kung Yu	lb.	32	18	18
Roach—Chum Yu	lb.	40	22	16
Salmon—Ma Yu	lb.	75	36	30
Shark—Sha Yu	lb.	12	8	10
Skate—Po Yu	lb.	18	10	16
Shrimps—Ha Yu	lb.	50	26	35
Snapper—Lap Yu	lb.	56	32	30
Soles—Tat Sha Yu	lb.	36	28	28
Tench—Wan Yu	lb.	42	22	18
Turbot—Tao Han Yu	lb.	28	18	12
Tutles, small, fresh water—Kau Yu	lb.	90	40	—

Poultry.

	June 12, 1925.	June 19, 1925.	June 19, 1924.
Chicken—Kai	lb.	55	30
Capon, Small—Shin Kai	lb.	45	28
Capon, Large—Shin Kai	lb.	50	28
Duck—Ap	lb.	40	22
Doves—Pan Kau	Each	25	—
Eggs, Hen—Kai Tan (cooking)	per doz.	30	18
Eggs, Hen—Kai Tan (fresh)	per doz.	36	25
Fowls, Canton—Kai	lb.	60	36
Fowls, Hainan—Hoi Nam Kai	lb.	40	28
Geese—Ngaui	lb.	35	24
Pigeons, Canton—Pak Kap	each	50	30
Holow—Hoi Hau Pak Kap	each	32	23
Turkeys, Cock—Fo Kai Kung	lb.	—	—
Turkeys, Hen—Fo Kai Na	lb.	—	51
Snipe—Sha Tau	each	—	45
Pheasant—Shan Kai	lb.	—	—
Quail—Om Chum	lb.	—	—
Partridges—Che Ku	lb.	—	—

Fruits.

Almonds—Hang Yan	lb.	40	35
Apples (California), Kam Shan Ping Ko	lb.	80	24
Bananas (bridge's), Macao—San Hung	lb.	—	—
Chia	lb.	5	4
Carambola—Young To	each	12	10
Cocanuts—Ye Tao	each	12	10
Lemons, China—Ning Mung	each	15	7
Lemons (America), Kam Shan Ning Mung	each	8	8
Lichees, Dried (small stone) Lai Chi Kon	lb.	25	80
Oranges (Canton), Sweet—Shan-sheng	lb.	25	15
Tim Chang	lb.	28	15
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Pears (Canton), Cooking—Sha Li	lb.	15	12
Peanuts—Fa Shang	lb.	12	10
Persimmons, Large—Hung Tao	lb.	12	12
Plantain—Tai Chiu	lb.	4	4
Pumelo, Siam—Taim Lo Yau	lb.	25	12
Walnuts—Hop To	lb.	14	15
Grapes—Fo Tai Tai	lb.	—	—

Vegetables, &c.

Artichokes—Ah Chi Chouk	each	12	8
Beans, Sprout—Ngaui Tao	lb.	8	7
Long—Tau Kok	lb.	15	8
Beet Root—Hung Tsoi Tau	each	8	8
Bitter Squash—Fu Kwa	lb.	8	8
Brinjals, Green—Ching Yau Kwa	lb.	10	8
Red—Hung Kee	lb.	8	8
Cabbage, Chinese (common)—Kai Tsoi	lb.	12	6
(Shanghai)—Ye Tsoi	lb.	12	6
Cane Shoots, bunch—Kau Shun	each	—	9
Caiflower (Large)—Ye Tsoi Fa	each	—	—
(Medium)	each	—	—
(Small)	each	—	—
Carrots—Kau Shun	lb.	8	6
Celery, Chinese—Tong Kan Tsoi	lb.	15	10
Chillies, Dried—Lat Chiu Kon	lb.	30	25
Red—Hung Fa Chiu	lb.	15	10
Green—Ching Lat Chiu	lb.	10	8
Curry Stuff, English—Ka Li Chiu Lin	lb.	10	10
Cucumbers—Ching Kwa	each	3	2
Garlic—Sun Tau	lb.	10	8
Ginger, Young—Sun Tao Kwang	lb.	15	7
Ginger, Old—Lo Kwang	lb.	12	10
Horseradish, Shanghai—Lik Kan	lb.	15	45
Indian Corn—Shuk Mai	each	9	8
Lettuce—Young Shang Tsoi	lb.	5	1
Water Chestnuts—Ma Tai	lb.	12	6
Mandarins—Kwai Lam Ma Tai	lb.	10	8
Mushrooms, Fresh—Shang Tsoi	lb.	46	1
Okraes, Bombay—Young Chung Tau	lb.	12	1
Onions, Green—Shang Chung	lb.	10	8
Onions, Shanghai—Sheng-hoi Chung	lb.	8	4
Tau	lb.	88	6
Parsley—Kun Tsoi	lb.	10	60
Potato, Sweet—Fan Shu	lb.	5	8
Japanese—Yat Pun Shu Tai	lb.	5	8
American—Fa Ki Shu Tai	lb.	5	8
Pumpkin—Tung Kwa	lb.	5	8
Radish—Hung Lo Pak Tai	lb.	8	10
Rhubarb (Fresh)—Tai Wong	lb.	8	10
Shallots—Kong Chong Tau	lb.	6	8
Spinach—Yin Tsoi	lb.	8	4
Tomatoes—Fan Ke	lb.	10	7
Taro—Wu Tau	lb.	8	6
Turnips, Punt (Long)—Lo Pak	lb.	6	4
Vegetable Marrow—Tut Ka	lb.	5	4
Water Cress—Sai Young Tsoi	lb.	12	15
Lily Root—Lin Ngaui	lb.	8	6

ACADEMY PICTURE.
18-YEAR-OLD ARTIST'S SUCCESS.

"THE MARCH OF TIME."
Stanley Shepherd, the boy artist whose picture, "The March of Time," in the Royal Academy, was favourably commented on by Mr. Frank Butler in the "Sunday Times," is still a pupil at the Harrow Art School under the Middlesex County Council. He is a native of Harrow, his father, a professional violinist, living at 56, Sussex Road. The boy takes the signal honour that has come to him only in life quite composedly, and when seen recently he seemed more excited as a result of the favourable criticism by Mr. Butler than at the knowledge that he had had a picture accepted by the Royal Academy. A SCHOLARSHIP BOY.
Stanley Shepherd is 18 years of age, and was educated at a local elementary school, from which, with the aid of a scholarship, he passed to the County School for Boys, where he gained an art scholarship, and for the past three years he has been studying at the local art school under Mr. H. H. Winstanley. He has shown at the annual school art exhibition, and has been selected for the Harrow Art School exhibition.

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Can it be possible that whilst you are suffering from influenza, mental depression, rheumatism, appendicitis, or indigestion, anything else, you can really influence your bodily condition for better or for worse by a process of thought unaided by physical remedies? Yet this is the claim of psychotherapy, effect! Mind-cure, either exert an influence, or it cannot. This issue cannot be shirked. It seemed to him that, suggestion, certainly had an important part to play in life, health and ill-health (acting mainly on the mental plane), there was a far higher plane of the mind, and it was from higher psychic planes that a look for the greatest benefit, regeneration of mankind, mentally or physically. It is quite possible that if such psychic or spiritual forces could be put to use, means for making physical ailments disappear would be found that would be a boon to the world. The latest scientific researches in the field of mind-cure, and the influence of suggestion on the body, are being carried out in a series of experiments at the Harrow Art School, under the supervision of Mr. H. H. Winstanley. The experiments are being carried out in a series of experiments at the Harrow Art School, under the supervision of Mr. H. H. Winstanley. The experiments are being carried out in a series of experiments at the Harrow Art School, under the supervision of Mr. H. H. Winstanley.

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IMPORTANT STATEMENT.

(Continued from page 1.)

Mischief Makers.

"There has been before the war, and it was undoubtedly greatly stimulated by all that has taken place during the war, a great growth of national spirit, and if it can form a united China of civilised principles, strong in its own strength and able to secure order within its borders and do justice to the foreigner within its gates, then no one will wish it more success than His Majesty's present Government. (Cheers). At the present there is not that unity. There is not that unified force in the government, there is general unrest, a general trouble which is being used by some of those who create it and by others to inflame Chinese opinion against all strangers within their gates. That is what has happened in the strike that took place in a Chinese factory. I do not stand here to defend conditions in the factories. (Cheers).

The Order to Fire.

"If that strike had been confined, or if the movement had been confined to a movement for amelioration of conditions the despatch which I read in my opening observations proves that His Majesty's Government would have lent the movement all the support they could command. But the factory conditions, however bad they be, and glad as we would be to see them altered, do not justify the advance of a murderous mob crying 'Kill the foreigner' on a police station containing large stocks of arms. It was not until—according to information I have at the present—that the police station was in danger with all the arms it contained that the order was given to fire.

Not Britain Alone.

"If that be the case then I say that the order given to fire saved bloodshed instead of causing it. Let me say at once His Majesty's Government and other Governments concerned—remember in these matters it is an international body which is acting in Shanghai as it is an international body. The Diplomatic Corps, which is acting in Peking, and that they are acting with more knowledge than any of us have here at the present time under circumstances of responsibility of which no one here can relieve them, and let us give them credit which we would ask for ourselves for moderation, for humanity, and for a desire to bring a peaceful issue out of these disastrous troubles.—It is in these circumstances we all of us feel that into the circumstances there should be the fullest and frankest enquiry.

Labour speakers: (We all accept that.)
"And in the meantime accepting that, I beg hon. members not to pass judgment in advance of receiving the evidence. (Cheers.) That enquiry is the first point.

Coming Conference.
In the second place we are anxious to enter on the full investigation of the best way to improve relations between China and the Powers in the spirit of the Washington Conference. Which is to meet China in accordance with the customs treaty signed at Washington which would give the opportunity for such investigation. We are therefore anxious that the conference should meet with the least possible delay and we propose to consult the other powers concerned as to the most practicable way of expediting this meeting.

Peking Quiet.

(Reuter's Service.)

Peking, June 18.

The situation is most quiet. There have been no large demonstrations of students. Attempts to institute a boycott has hitherto had little success. Street

collections for Shanghai strikers have practically ceased.

"The Association of College Professors on Foreign Relations" advises giving up collections altogether as they are liable to alienate the sympathy of the populace.

"Here I may observe that such a disposition on the part of His Majesty's Government and other Powers concerned may be helped or hindered, or even rendered impossible, according to the attitude of the Chinese authorities, central and local. It may be an attitude of goodwill and conciliation or the reverse. Insofar as the Chinese Government and local authorities in China fail to show their good faith by repressing this agitation—and there are parts of China where word from a Governor has prevented all this agitation—by stopping agitation, strikes and boycotts, steps to hasten the meeting of the conference may become more difficult. I trust, therefore, that not only among the Great Powers but spirit of conciliation and helpfulness may be found, but among the Chinese also. We may be met by a similar spirit of conciliation and goodwill and that being so, by working together may help to pilot China through her difficult transitional period and establish her Government on firm foundations of equity and justice to the foreigner and independence and liberty at home. Upon that basis, we and they together may build our common prosperity to the advantage of the world." (Cheers).

COUP AT SWATOW.

GENERAL FLEES CHAN'S FLAG?

NO FIGHTING.

Private messages received in Hongkong today indicate a coup in favour of General Chan Kwing-ming at Swatow. Rumours are current that whilst no fighting has taken place, the port is once more in the hands of pro-Chan rulers, who are opposed to the Cantonese now holding Canton.

Before war broke out between the Cantonese and the mercenaries, some of Chan's former detachments were absorbed in General Hsu Shung-chi's Kuomintang army. Since then the nucleus of that army has been making its way back to Canton. General Hsu arrived in Hongkong and yesterday afternoon left with five of his staff by the S.S. Chuen Chow for Macao, where two of the staff were immediately despatched to Canton by the S.S. Shing Cheong.

According to the reports to hand, Commander Hung who is a Chan Kwing-ming man, surrendered to General Hsu when the cry "Canton for the Cantonese" was taken up. When Hsu left Swatow, Hung is said to have been left in charge and the news to-day is that he has gone back to Chan by flying the latter's flag at all the Government offices.

The foregoing has not been confirmed. Absence of telegraphic communication hinders the rapid transmission of authentic reports.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

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TO-DAYS ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTIFICATION.

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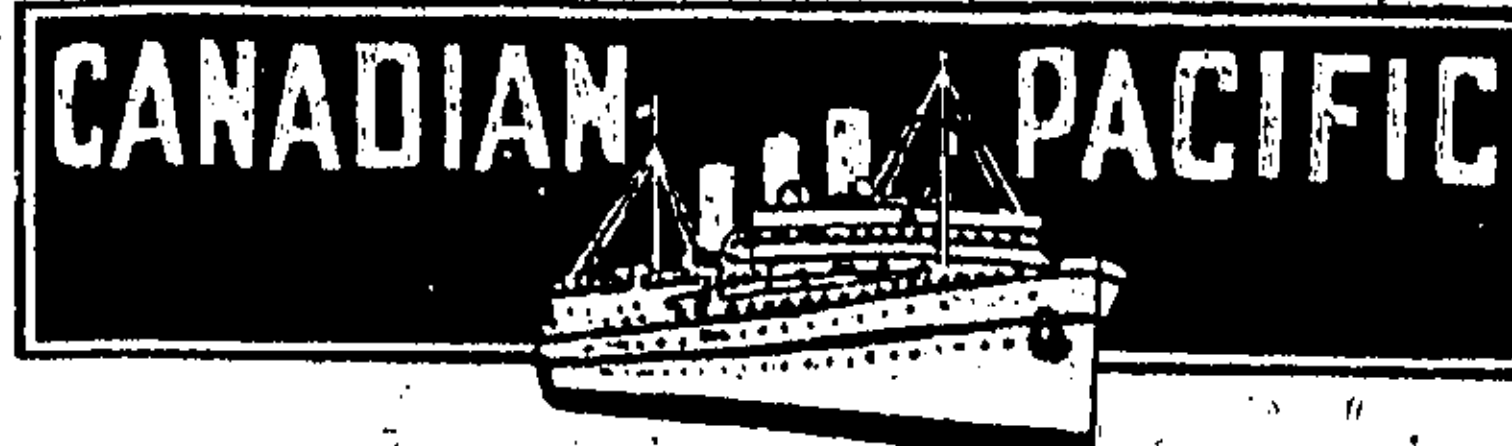
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"KASHGAR"	9,465	10th July	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"BOUDAN"	6,686	17th July	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"TAKAWA"	7,936	24th July	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"MACEDONIA"	11,089	31st July	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"SICILIA"	6,813	7th Aug.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"KEYBER"	9,114	14th Aug.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"TANDA"	6,968	21st Aug.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
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"ARAFURA"	8,010	11th Sept.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"MALWA"	10,941	18th Sept.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"BOUDAN"	6,686	25th Sept.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"KASHGAR"	9,465	2nd Oct.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"SICILIA"	6,813	9th Oct.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	16th Oct.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"MANTUA"	10,938	23rd Oct.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"KALYA"	9,114	30th Oct.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"DELTA"	6,097	6th Nov.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
"TANDA"	6,968	13th Nov.	Shanghai, Hong Kong, Kobe and Yokohama.
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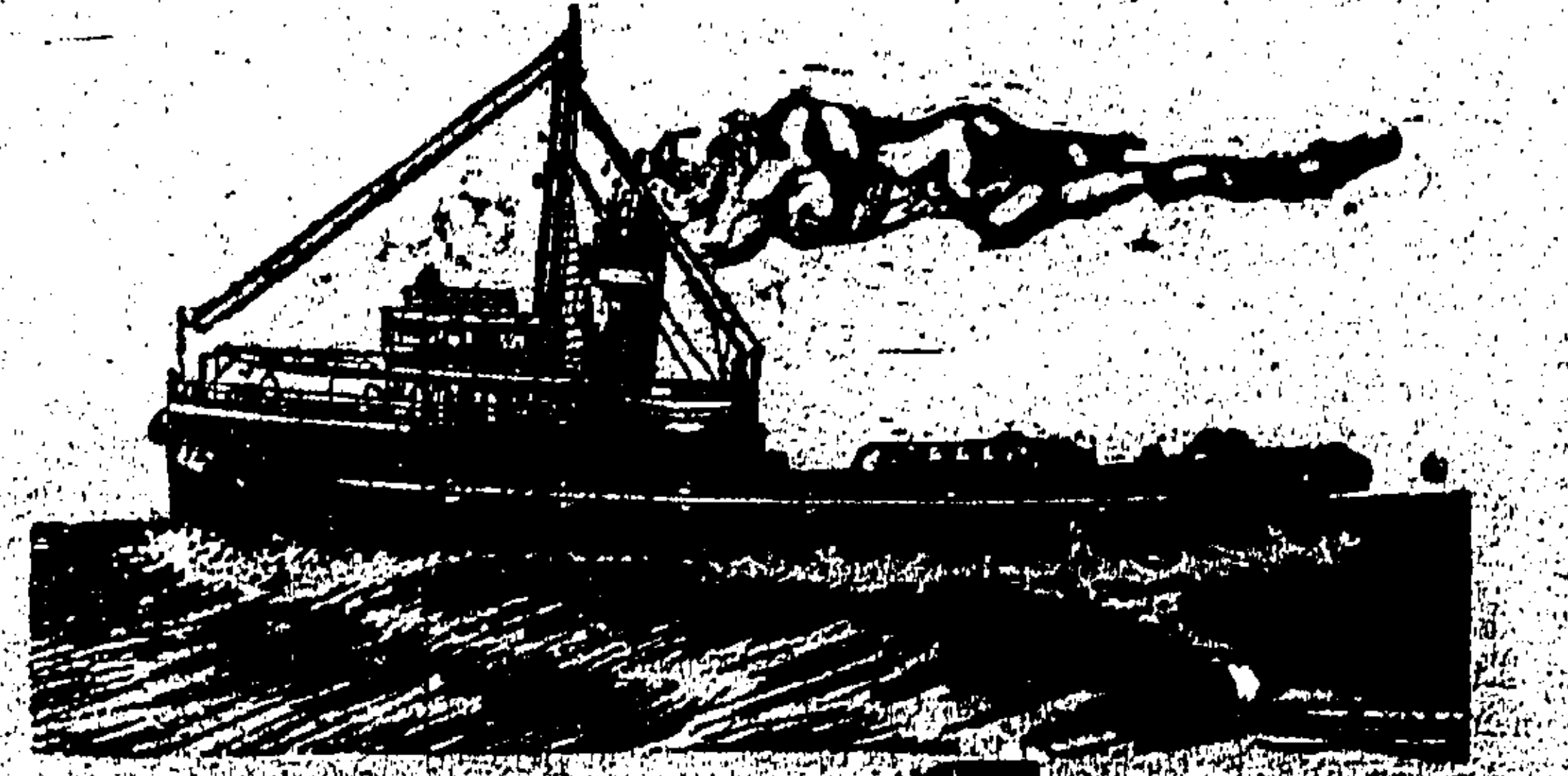
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The B.L. s.s. "Boymark" from Middlebrook, Antwerp and London left Singapore for this port on June 14, and is due to arrive here to-day.
The C.P. s.s. "Empress of Australia" arrived at Kobe on June 17, at 6.30 p.m. left Kobe yesterday, at noon, and is due at Yokohama to-morrow at 6 p.m.
The B.F. s.s. "Achilles" for Pacific Ports left Manila on June 17 for this port and is due here to-day.
The C.P. s.s. "Empress of Asia" arrived at Manila yesterday at 5.30 p.m. leaves Manila to-day at 4 p.m. and is due at Hongkong on June 21 at 8 a.m. She will dock at Kowloon Dock on arrival at Hongkong.
The B.F. s.s. "Empress of Liverpool" left Singapore 17th June for this port and is due here on June 21.
The O.S.L. s.s. "Pros. Adams" which sailed from San Francisco on May 31 is due at this port on June 21 and will sail for Hongkong and New York via Suez Canal at 5 p.m. on June 21.
The N.Y.K. s.s. "Tamba Maru" (Bombay Passenger Line) left Bombay for Hongkong via Singapore on June 10 and is expected here on June 18.
The A.O.L. s.s. "Pros. McKillop" which sailed from this port at 5 p.m. yesterday, is due at Manila at 8 a.m. to-morrow. She returns from that port at 5 p.m. on June 23 arriving here at 8 a.m. on June 24 and will sail for Victoria and Seattle via Japan ports at 5 p.m. on June 26.

The D.E.L. s.s. "Pros. Cleveland" which is due at this port on June 25, sailed from San Francisco on May 27 on schedule.
The N.Y.K. s.s. "Katori Maru" (European Passenger Line) left London for Hongkong via Suez on May 22 and is expected here on June 19.
The C.O.L. s.s. "Pros. Jefferson" which is due at this port on June 29, sailed from Seattle on June 8 on schedule.
The O.P. s.s. "Empress of Canada" left Vancouver for Hongkong via Japan ports and Shanghai, on June 11 and is due here on June 19.
The M.V. s.s. "Formosa" (Swedish East Asiatic Co. Ltd.) left Dunkirk on May 23 and is due here on or about June 30.
The B.F. s.s. "Empress of Liverpool" left Liverpool on May 23 for Straits, Hongkong, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe and Yokohama and is due at this port on or about July 2.
The B.F. s.s. "Empress of Liverpool" left Liverpool on May 30 for Straits, Hongkong, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe and Yokohama and is due at this port on or about July 9.
The D.E.L. s.s. "Pros. Garfield" which is due at this port on July 6 sailed from San Francisco on June 6 on schedule.
The B.F. s.s. "Empress of Liverpool" left Liverpool on June 6 for Hongkong, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe and Yokohama and is due at this port on or about July 13.
The N.Y.K. s.s. "Atsuta Maru" (Australian Passenger Line) left London for Hongkong via Suez on June 6 and is expected here on July 14.
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HAMBURG via LONDON & ROTTERDAM & Portia.
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LIVERPOOL via ADEN & MARSEILLES.
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KAWACHI MARU (Callis Delagoa, P. Elizabeth) Saturday, 8th July.
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TOYOOKA MARU Sunday, 28th June.
MURORAN MARU Friday, 10th July.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.
WAKASA MARU Friday, 19th June.
MOJI MARU Tuesday, 30th June.
NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.
AKI MARU Thursday, 18th June.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.
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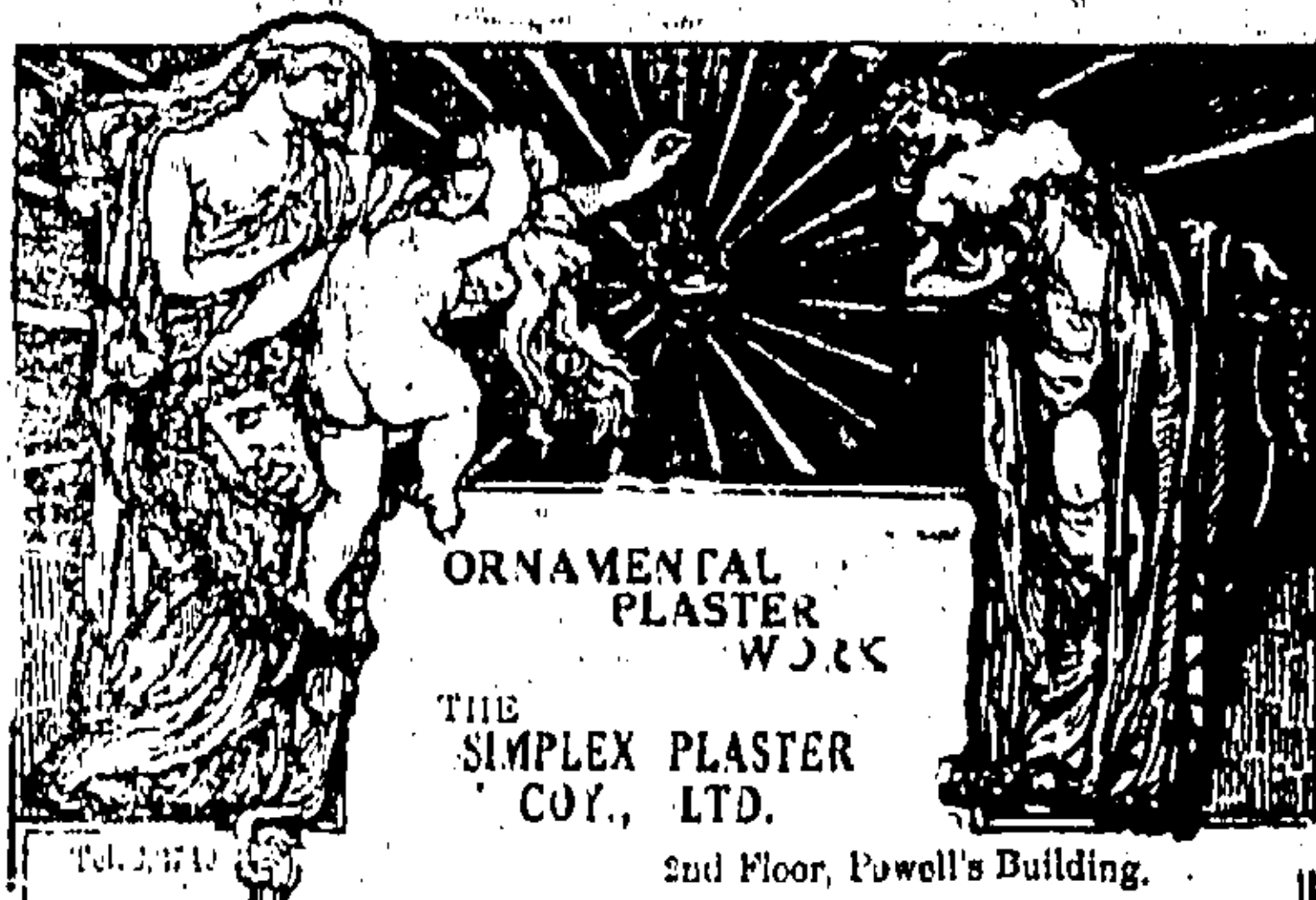
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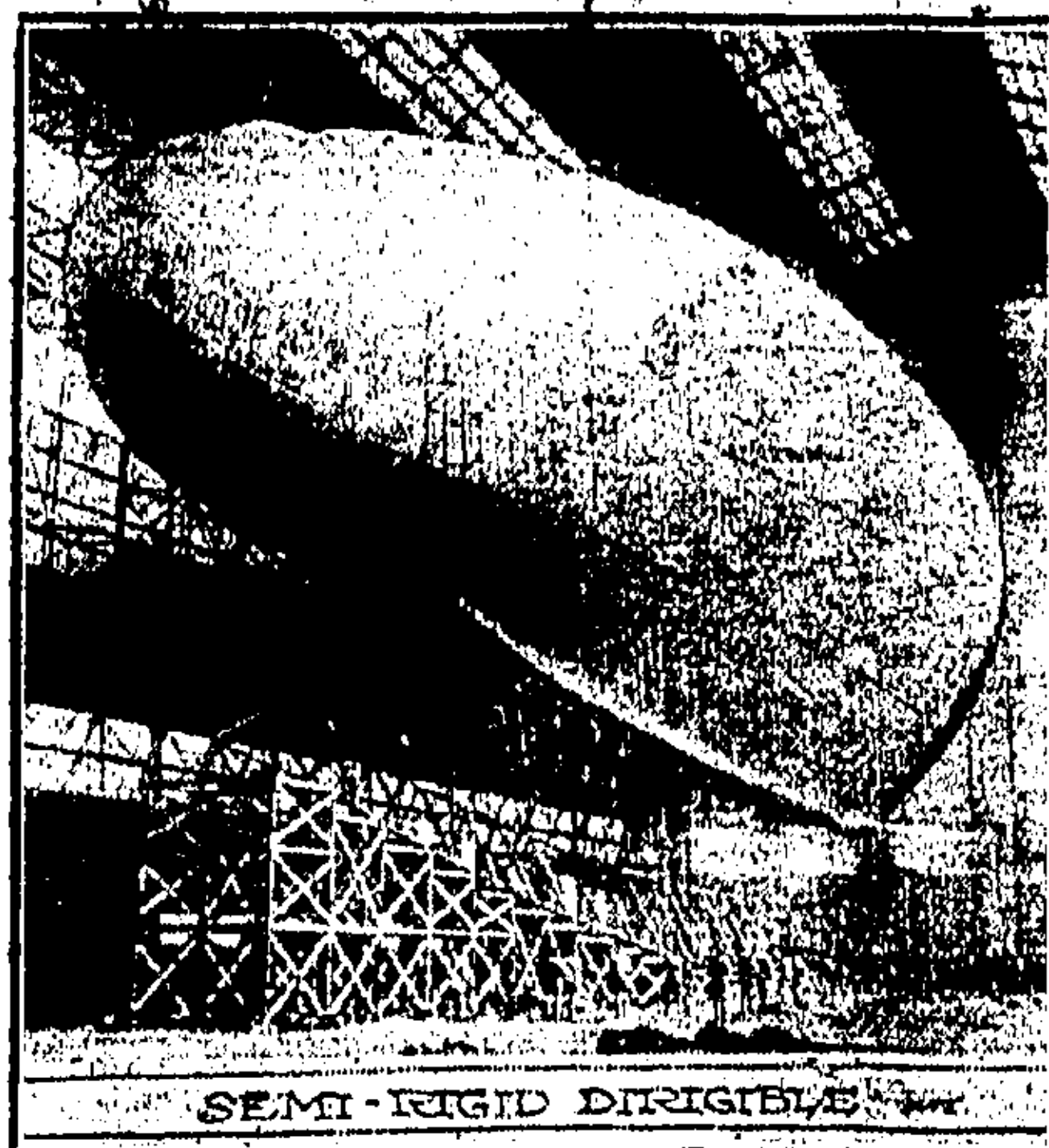
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MARSHAL LYAUTEY

Marshal Lyautey, governor of French Morocco, moved his headquarters to Fez so that he could direct the campaign against the hostile Rif.



CAPT NUNGESSER HONOR DIVING

Captain Charles Nungesser, most famous of all living French war aviators, placed a wreath on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia, while on a recent visit to Washington.

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"Not guilty" was the plea of Mrs. Bernice Zulimas, 24, when placed on trial, charged with placing arsenic in the food of her husband, 35, who died on November 18, 1924.



WRECKAGE OF HOUSES IN SWISSVALE, PA.
"BLACK HAND" BOMB EXPLOSION.

A bomb, const. police believed, in a "black hand" plot, killed eight persons, all Italians, and wrecked four buildings in Swissvale, a suburb of Pittsburgh. The total damage was estimated at \$250,000.



MISS GERTRUDE ARTELT

The "perfect girl," Miss Gertrude Artelt, former national swimming champion, will be married to William H. Degummons, member of the New York Cotton Exchange.



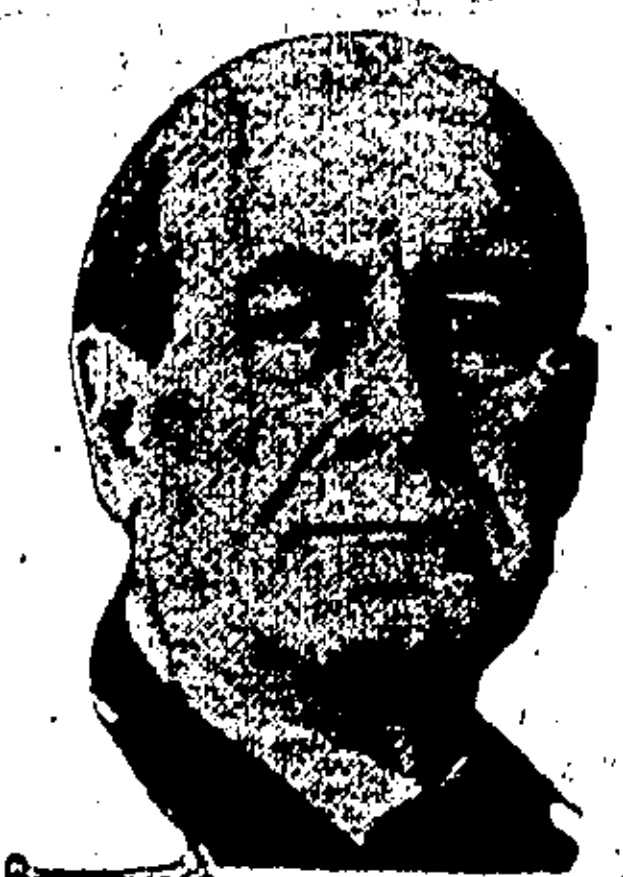
LUCILLE CHATTERTON & FATHER

Lucille Chatterton, 11, kidnapped from her home by Earl Woodward, ex-convict, came to his aid when the pair were caught, stating he had taken her away at her request because she feared her father. Walter Chatterton (shown with the child) would whip her.



HARRY THAW

Harry Thaw, millionaire, who has been prominent since he murdered Stanford, White twenty years ago, made his first appearance as a volunteer fireman during the Shenandoah apple blossom fête at his home town.



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William Jennings Bryan, lunching with President Coolidge, told him his policy of economy was popular throughout the country. Elbert Gary, chairman of the United States Steel Corporation board of directors, addressing business men, said there is no slump in business conditions. Senator Spencer underwent a minor operation in a Washington hospital. Secretary of the Navy Wilbur warned members of the Hartford Chamber of Commerce that aeroplanes were not sufficient protection for the interests of the United States in all parts of the globe.

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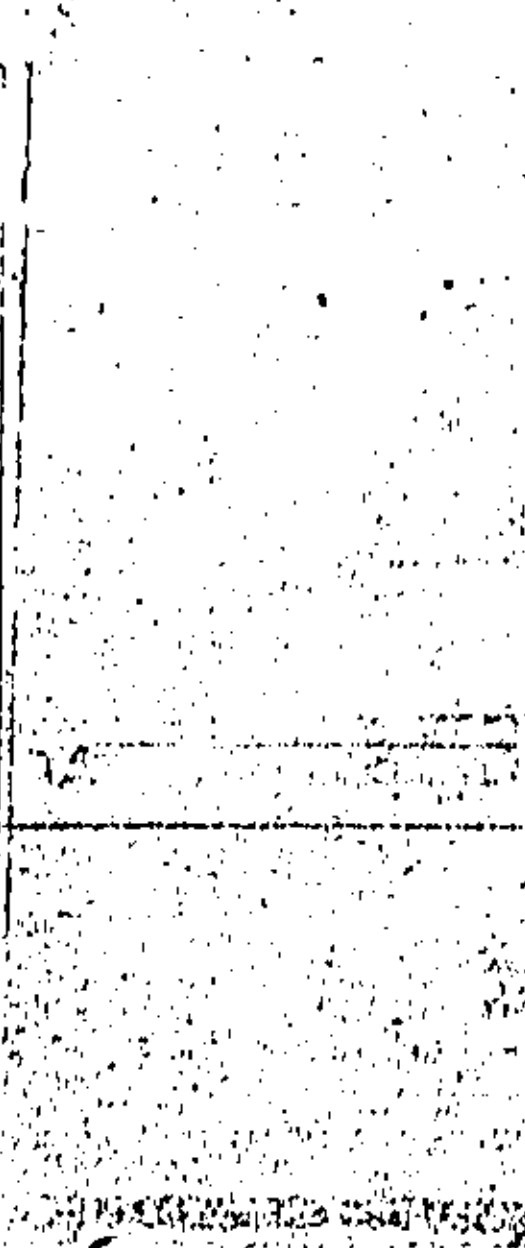
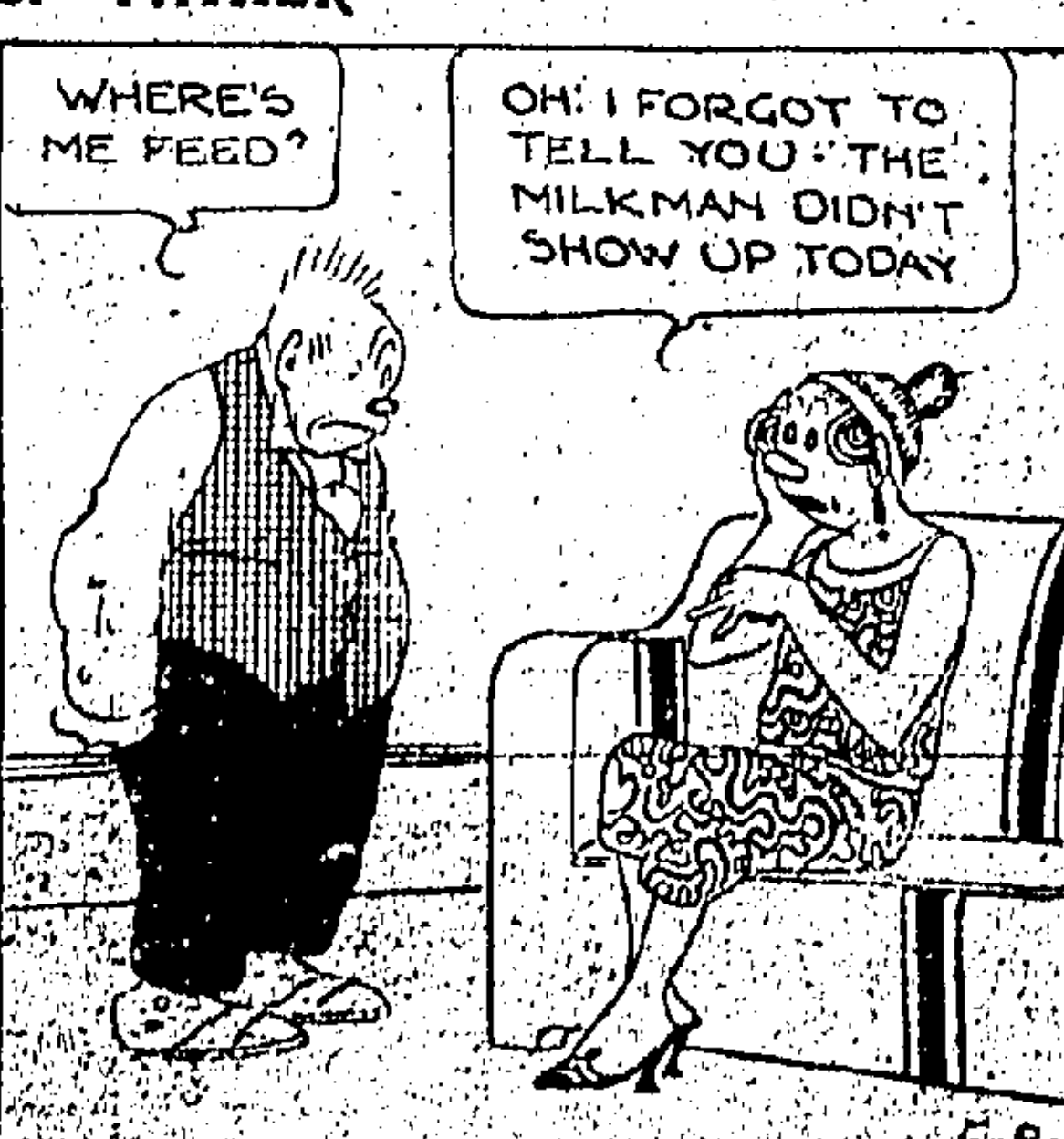
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Princess Mary in Town.

Princess Mary is passionately fond of flowers, and looks upon them as the greatest beautifiers to a room (says the London "Evening News.") Since she arrived at her town house the Princess has had big pots of white, crimson, rose, salmon, and pink streaked with white azaleas placed, each on a different table, in her drawing-room, and the effect is most charming, as may be imagined. The Princess has her good taste in making rooms pretty by right of heredity, for both her mother, the Queen, and her grandmother, Queen Alexandra, are adepts in the art. The Queen prefers fine old pieces of furniture set in stately surroundings, and she chooses her colours to tell their own story. Queen Alexandra, on the other hand, believes in the brightest colours, and if possible only three or four in conjunction. White, green, and carnation pink mingled together she prefers to all others. To harmonise with the colours in her draperies and furniture she chooses self-coloured carpets, and crimson velvet pile is her chief favourite. With such a carpet very effective is a white carved mantelpiece in her boudoir, and on the shelf is set a long case of miniatures. Poetic Sundials.

Sundials are increasing in popularity (writes Alice B. Anderson in the "Daily Express.") It was in the days when primitive man worshipped the sun that sundials were invented. When Herodotus wrote his ancient history, when earlier yet, the eternal Pyramids stood four-square in Egypt, sundials were known. In the Bible the first mention of sundials is in the time of Isaiah (B.C. 731), when "God let the shadow return backward ten degrees," as a sign to Hezekiah, King of Judah, that his life on earth would be prolonged. Sundials are first heard of in Rome in B.C. 203. Here one was set up in the pagan Temple of Quirinus; for the first time the day was marked off into hours! Nine hundred years later the sundial is recorded in Christian churches where, with the hour-glass, conspicuous on the pulpit ledge for many a century it timed the dreary length of the homilies of the period. With striking clocks rare and costly possessions sundials remained in favour up to the beginning of the fourteenth century. Many there were that had mottoes; a favourite one (translated from the Latin in which it was originally transcribed) being "I only count the sunny hours." Sundials were to be found everywhere throughout the Middle Ages on the walls of cathedrals, in the courts of honour of feudal castles, and on the humble village greens. Some of the mottoes, the concentrated wisdom of monks, philosophers, and poets, were veritable "sermons of stone." French Cathedrals were particularly rich in them.

Bootleggers' Desperate Tactics.

A desperate fight is being carried on by the American bootleggers against the new prohibition navy, and as the result of sabotage, and threats the coastguard fleet is reporting daily the loss of vessels, crews kidnapped, assaulted, or killed. The prohibition headquarters at Washington is flooded with complaints, indicating that the smugglers are conducting guerilla warfare on land against the coastguard patrol by boring holes in the rumchaser's hulls, sinking them in their docks, disabling the motors with sand, and threatening or bribing the crews. "New York bootleggers calmly admit that there has been a decline in imports of whisky during the last few days, and they are advancing prices accordingly, but they confidently await a little rough weather at sea which will scatter the patrol and permit the daring rumrunners to replenish the supplies ashore.

French Fashions for Men.

If the Parisienne has taken to lowering her skirts a little and letting her hair grow longer, the youth of Paris is taking slowly and cautiously to the baggy trousers (observes a "Daily News" writer.) Unfortunately, there is a notion in Paris just now that every Englishman with baggy trousers is an Oxford undergraduate. Thus even baggy trousers command respect—if worn by an Englishman. As worn by the Frenchman, with the new high double-breasted vest, reaching almost to the collar, they give the impression of the Louis Philippe period, just before man finally abandoned the attempt to look picturesque in his dress.

Rodin on Sargent.

When visiting London in 1902, Rodin made a tour of the Royal Academy Exhibition, reports the "Morning Post." The year was known as "The Sargent Year." The distinguished French sculptor, who had literally "darted" about the rooms of Burlington House, halted for some moments in front of Sargent's "The Misses Hunter." Enthusiastically did he exclaim, speaking to an English friend who was privileged to accompany him, "Voilà le Van Dyck de l'époque! Sargent n'a jamais rien fait de mieux que cela. C'est un bouquet de fleurs. C'est une composition de maître, sans efforts! Il y en a une, mais on ne peut pas s'en apercevoir." Truly a magnificent compliment from one great artist to another.

A Pagan Relic.

The last meeting of the session of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland was held in the Library of the National Museum of Antiquities, Queen Street, Edinburgh. In a paper on the Old Celtic Inscribed and Sculptured Stone at Aucholzie, Kincardineshire, Mr. F. C. Dinck,

Aberdeen, submitted a new reading and an analysis of the ogam inscription appearing on this stone. The inscription consisted of four words, which were divisible into two parts, one the name of a man, and the other a phrase of description. Mr. Dinck suggested that these should be translated as "Avno Anunac, Soothsayer of Dovenio." That it belonged to the pagan period was evident, as it was not to a soothsayer would not be erected after the introduction of Christianity. It could be inferred that Dovenio was at least some local chief, and that it was probably he himself who caused this monument to be set up over his soothsayer.

Table Centres.

That Edwardian abomination the table centre seems to be creeping back to favour, but in very much improved guise (says the "Weekly Dispatch.") Soft sea green tulle clustered about a valuable antique mirror laid on its back raised on claw feet on one dinner table. On a polished mahogany board a line of old Dutch silver ships down the middle was an original and charming decoration.

"Margot."

She does "go a bit too far," for, not being touchy or impudent herself, she takes adverse criticism very well, and does not understand why the truth should hurt others (writes A. G. C. in the "Daily News.") of the Countess of Oxford and Asquith. She sees everything objectively, including her family, whom she discusses in their presence as one might discuss one's next door neighbour or the pictures on the wall, and she sees herself with the same detachment and candour, as if she were a fellow-mortal. She admires Margot in certain of her aspects with the dispassionate enthusiasm with which she would admire any thing of beauty, from a horse to a woman's hair, or from a flash of wit to an act of sacrifice; but she has an acute eye for Margot's abundant failings, and through all the gallop of self-expression there runs a vein of disarming humility that makes her personality at once so bewildering and iridescent. She will live in history as a legend and as the most brilliant woman who ever dwelt in 10 Downing Street. Perhaps she was too brilliant for a part which was subordinate, for a personality so incisive and romantic could not escape the limelight. It may have been this thought which prompted the reply of Mr. Balfour, recorded in the "Autobiography." The gossip of the Press had been busy with his name and that of Miss Tennant. "I hear you are going to marry Margot Tennant," someone said to him. "No, that is not so," he replied. "I rather think of having a career of my own."

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